

**A RESOLUTION OF INTENT TO DRAFT A GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE SOUTH WESTSIDE GROUNDWATER BASIN**

**WHEREAS**, the City of San Bruno ("City") is a general law municipality and municipal corporation that provides water service to a portion of the South Westside Basin ("Basin"), a basin which is not subject to groundwater management pursuant to other provisions of law or a court order, judgment of decree; and

**WHEREAS**, the South Westside Basin is a critical resource for San Mateo and San Francisco Counties as a local water resource that augments imported water from the Tuolumne River and increases the reliability of local water supplies; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1992, the California Legislature enacted Assembly Bill 3030 to provide local public agencies increased management authority over their groundwater resources and subsequently enacted Senate Bill 1938 to encourage local public agencies to adopt groundwater management plans in order to increase their eligibility for grant funds for groundwater related projects (Water Code Section 10750); and

**WHEREAS**, the Legislature has also declared that the additional study of groundwater resources is necessary to better understand how to manage groundwater effectively to ensure the safe production, quality, and proper storage of groundwater in the State; and

**WHEREAS**, the adoption of a groundwater management plan is encouraged, but not required, by law; and

**WHEREAS**, the City received a Local Groundwater Assistance Fund Grant in the amount of \$209,908 from the California Department of Water Resources, pursuant to the Water Security, Clean Drinking Water, coastal Beach Protection Act of 2002 (Water Code Section 79560 et seq.) to fund a groundwater management plan for the South Westside Basin; and

**WHEREAS**, prior to adopting a resolution of intent to draft a groundwater management plan, Water Code Section 10753.2 requires a local agency to hold a public hearing, after publication of notice pursuant to Government Code Section 6066 on whether or not to adopt a resolution of intent to draft a groundwater management plan; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Government Code 6066, the City duly published notice of a public hearing before the City Council on whether or not to adopt a resolution of intent to draft a groundwater management plan.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the city Council of the City of San Bruno as follows:

1. To adopt a resolution of intent to draft a groundwater management plan for the South Westside Basin in accordance with the provisions of Water Code Sections 10750 et seq.
2. Direct the City Clerk to publish the Resolution of Intent under Government Code Section 6066 pursuant to Water Code Section 10753.3(a)
3. Direct Staff to prepare a groundwater management plan for the South Westside Basin in accordance with Water Code Sections 10750 et seq.

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I hereby certify that foregoing **Resolution No. 2010 - 74** was introduced and adopted by the San Bruno City Council at a regular meeting on August 24, 2010, by the following vote following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers: Ibarra, Medina, O'Connell, Salazar, Mayor Ruane

NOES: Councilmembers: None

ABSENT: Councilmembers: None

I hereby certify this to be a full, true and correct copy of the document it purports to be, the original of which is on file in my office.

Dated: September 2, 2010

Vicky S. Hasha, Deputy City Clerk  
City Clerk of the City of San Bruno

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